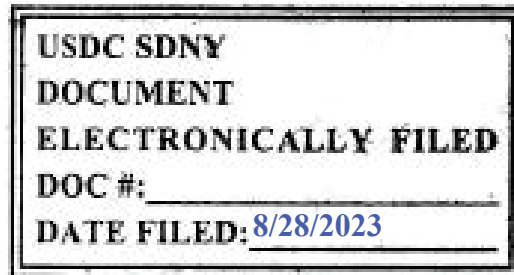


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August 25, 2023

VIA ECF

Honorable Jennifer H. Rearden
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street, Room 1010
New York, NY 10007



Re: Steven Rosati v. Long Island Rail Road Co., et al., No. 21-CV-08594

Dear Judge Rearden,

We represent Defendants Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Long Island Rail Road Company, and Patrick J. Foye in the above-captioned action. We write to Your Honor respectfully requesting an adjournment of the conference currently scheduled for **August 30, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.** to address Defendants' application for a protective order. *See* ECF No. 73. This is our first request for an adjournment of this conference.

I will be out of the county on a family vacation next week, returning on September 5, 2023. Plaintiff's counsel has consented via email to our request for an extension. I have conferred with Edward Paltzig, counsel for the Plaintiff, and both parties are generally available to reschedule the conference on September 5, 6, or 7, 2023, at Your Honor's convenience. Please be advised that the close of fact discovery is September 8, 2023.

Application GRANTED. The conference previously scheduled for August 30, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. is hereby adjourned to September 6, 2023 at 11:30 a.m.

SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jennifer H. Rearden".

Jennifer H. Rearden, U.S.D.J.
Date: Aug. 28, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that appears to read "H. Hechkopf".

Helene R. Hechkopf